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MILITARY EXPONENTS STIRRING UP CONGRESS

BYSTANDER" "INNOCENT

Gen. Wood Says Defense Needed

Adds His Voice To Arguments For Military Preparation

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15 .cessity of preparation for war. He fornia. favored the establishment of a na- The secret report, however, will

tatives, but which was refused by Speaker Cannon. The report is al-Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of leged to have contained facts showstaff, today appeared before the ing that the United States is not House of Representatives committee in a resolution introduced by Conon military affairs and urged the negressman James McLachlan of Cali-

tional council of defense as a per- undoubtedly be considered by Presi-manent policy of the government. dent Taft and his cabinet within a President Taft has directed Secretary short time. The report of the Sec of War Dickinson to withhold the retary of the Navy, made public sevsecret report which was to have been eral days ago, is another strong ar submitted to the House of Represen- gument for "preparedness."

DEMOCRATIC OFFICE-SEEKERS ARE MANY, WHILE JOBS FOR THEM HAVE NOT MATERIALIZED

the Democratic county campaign the coral girt windward capes are committee and manager of the re- sending in applications for posicent county campaign, in whi h the tions. Bourbons were gloriously triumphant in electing four of their thirty-odd ing that he is afraid he will have to nominees, sighed this morning as he disappoint some of the office-seekers. surveyed a stack of applications for as he has no present intention of jobs. Having sighed, he got busy creating any vacancies in his staff, with a letter to the mayor and another to the sheriff, asking them his ability to bring New Year joy to departments along about New Year's a job.

begin. The result is that Democrats fore the first of the year.

Col. C. J. McCarthy, chairman of all the way from Diamond Head t

Sheriff Bill Jarrett said this morn-The mayor similarly, is doubtful of what vacancies will exist in their lonely hearts that now beat without

Meanwhile, the applications are so Somehow a rumor got around numerous that the county committee town that there was to be a lively will be called together on Tuesday, shake-up in both the mayor's and December 27, to endorse the applisheriff's offices and that some of cants, whether or not there are any those now drawing down their sal- office-chairs that need occupants. If the new administrations and hence the endorsement just be

AUTO DRIVERS' RULE AGAINST **ASSOCIATION**

and Fixes Rates to Be Charged.

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At a meeting called at noon today and which lasted for two hours, offifare to be charged were fixed.

board of directors: George C. Becksalves, C. M. Schoening and Sonny

Attorney Douthitt drew up the articles of association and presided over the meeting which was held in the office of Honolulu Automobile Stand, and was attended by representatives of every stand in the city.

The rates to be charged, going into effect the first of the year, are: CITY RATES. Rates per hour, \$5 straight, for

carrying six passengers; smaller cars, Punahou street, along Hastings

street, along Prospect street, Wyllie! (Continued on Page 6)

REPUBLICANS

Meeting Today Elects Officers Petitioners Can Withdraw Is the Ruling of the Supreme Court.

The attorneys in the mayoralty contest-on the Republican side-

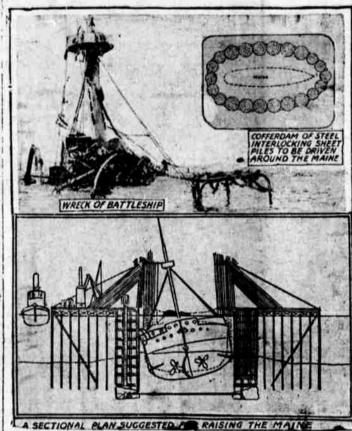
The court held, by a majority rul-The position of president was left ing, that the signers of the Republi open until another meeting and the can petition who declared upon the other officers elected were: Joe Mil- stand that they signed the petition ler, vice-president; E. Hartman, sec- of contest without being aware of retary; Charles Reynolds, assistant its actual contents, and also that secretary; E. M. Wood, treasurer; they "wanted to drop the case," were to be permitted to withdraw ley, J. C. Quinn, Ed Lewis, A. J. Gon- This left but twenty-nine valid names, one less than the required staintory number the court accordingly being without jurisdiction and disposing of the petition of Bight against Fern with finality.

The original petition still remains,

ing a beautiful calendar for 1911.

ROW STARTS OVER RAISING MAINE CATHCART AGAIN Fined \$100 For

U. S. ENGINEERS ARE CRITICISED



Opposition Develops To Use Of Old-Style Methods In Lifting Noted Battleship

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Details of the plan formulated by the army engineers for the work of raising the wreck of the battleship Maine are likely to precipitate as great a discussion as was brought about by the war over the relative merits of the sca level versus the lock type of canal for the Panama isthmus. It was made known several days ago that the old, slow and expensive method of a cofferdam was to be employed by the army people, and, while considerable criticism of the plan was made at the time, the engineers, as a rule, imitated Sigsbee in "reserving judgment" until the plan, with all of its details, was at hand. When these have been made known it is probable that the crux of the contention will center about the character of the bottom where the Maine ites imbedded. In the firmness or softness of that bed seems to lie the essence of the entire aries will be separated from their there are any changes, they will be situation, for if it is soft and if the softness extends to any considerable meal tickets with celerity and vio- when the new regime is established, depth there will be engineers to say that the cofferdam idea is impracticable for the reason that the dam would have to be sunk too deep for its sides to resist the lateral pressure and, moreover, that it would be impossible to keep it free of water by reason of the great pressure under and cround the base

around the wreck, in which to work ing the vessel,

Work incident to raising the when the cofferdam is pumped out wreck of the old U. S. S. Maine at Havana, Caba, is progressing. Men loading and unloading of material are now making molds for the tubes from one of the slows a steel boom of the cofferdam to be built around from the Maine is doing good ser. the hull. These tubes are twenty-vice. This boom was submerged two feet long and fifty feet in diameter. They will be placed around thoroughly scraped proved to be in porters of general merchandise and the Maine forming an oval 494 feet excellent condition. Col. W. M. long by 247 feet wide. A space Black, U. S. A., will shortly arrive forty-five feet wide will be left; to take charge of the work of rais-

cera for Honolulu Automobile Association were elected and rates of ritorial Supreme Court this morning. GOVERNMENT HAS TEN MINERS ARE **MAJORITY OF** ENTOMBED BY

(Associated Press Cable.)

LONDON, Dec. 15 .- Every elecsition unassallable.

LEYDEN, Colo., Dec. 15,-Ten tion return makes it more probable miners were entombed today in an Honolulu and being here for the last that the government party, which is explosion in the underground work- time during the winter of 1908. however, and the Republican attor- making opposition to the House of ings where they were employed. The neys will have an opportunity tomor- Lords its issue, will be successful in, whole force of men available was at row morning, by introducing evi, the general elections now on. The once put to work in a desperate efdence, to show that the ballots were Government now has 349 seats and fort to reach the men before they exhibited "wilfully" and in such manner as to invalidate the votes ship of the House of Commons is cast.

Covernment now has 5th member died from lack of air or from starva-ship of the House of Commons is tion, but there is little hope. It is 670 and while the government party, not definitely known whether or not or läberals, has a majority, it is not the men were killed instantly by fall-W. C. Peacock & Co., Ltd., is issue sufficiently large yet to make its po- the men were killed instantly by falling timbers and earth.

WITHDRAWAL

Charges Lindsay With Usurping Powers Given By People.

MAKES STATEMENT BEFORE JUDGE COOPER

City and County Attorney Asserts That He Will Not

efore a crowded courtroom that lis- Cooper this morning. tened intently to every word. City and all criminal prosecution in the Circuit Court because the powers given to him as an elected official of the City and County of Honolulu have Lindsay, an appointive official.

The City and County Attorney em phasized the statement he made yesterday. He declared that it was his duty to declare the reasons that impelled him to move for a nolle pro equi in the second charge against Edward C. Lane.

"In this case I have done what believe to be my duty, declared Cath-cart, "and I believe further that a (Continued on Page 2)

M. S. GRINBAUM PASSES AWAY

Merchant Died In Germany at an Advanced Age.

News came from Berlin this mornothing as to the cause of it.

ceased, who was well known in Honolulu

time of his death, and for nearly half a century was connected with the commercial life of Hawaii Mr. Grinbaum was between seven plantation agents.

The firm of which he was for many years the head was started in 1856 by an uncle of Mr. Grinbaum. and about ten years later M. Louis son and Mr. Grinbaum took over the business, and then for many years the man who has just died in Ger-many was the head of the company. which was disincorporated in 1908.

In June of that year Mr. Grinpany being closed a year previously. and for the last year of its existence the firm acted merely as plantation

Mr. Grinbaum is survived by widow. His family lived here at no time permanently, and he and his wife did a great deal of traveling. generally spending the winters in

OPEN EVENINGS

L. B. Kerr & Co., will be open every evening until Christmas. Santa Claus

A good business head should be as companied by a good business heart. More than three thousand camphor trees have been set out in Florida.

His Comments

J. Carlo Punished For Talking **About Case While Jury** Passes

Be ause he stood in the entrance to say for himself. of his store on Fort street and commented upon the merits of a case know that he was doing anything

The fine was imposed upon Carlo oned for such a serious offense.

County Attorney John Catheart short despite his earnest protestations that His pleas for a reduction of the ly after noon today, again reiterated he did not know that a jury was fine were all in vain, and although his declaration that he would abandon nearby when he was commenting Carlo was given until 3 o'clock to recognizing Judge Cooper.

Judge Cooper did not indicate at noon.

He then asserted that he did not Asserts That He Will Not Endure Present Method.

Endure Present Method.

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Circuit Court, which was passing at fine be reduced from the figure of the time, J. Carlo, the pawnbroker, \$100. Judge Cooper, however, statcape with a fine and not be impris-

upon the case, although he admitted pay the fine, the money was in the hands of the clerk of court before

City and County of Honolulu have the time that he heard the remarks. The jury which aroused Carlo's been usurped by Attorney General but as soon as he returned to the rather expensive remarks in passing Judilicary building he issued a bench is that sitting in the case of a Hawarrant for the apprehension of waitan charged with a criminal at-Carlo forthwith. Within fifteen min. tack upon a girl, and was on its utes Carlo was before the bar of way to view the scene of the crime, justice and asked if he had anything in the rear of the Art Theater,

FORECAST OF 3.50 FOR NEW CROP OF SUGAR PROMISES TO BE REALIZED, SAY EXPERTS

York market, and as February is the increase of 299,809 tons. period when the Cuban season is at l its height and raw sugar is at its lowest figure for the year the forecast close of last week basis of 3.93c.

the commercial life of Honolulu and Hawaii, the cable merely announcing the fact of the death and stating against 1,426,043 tons last year at the made yesterday. and signed by the widow of the de- crease of 312,186 last week. Total several sellers of European beet stocks and afloats together show a

Cubin sugar for February delivery visible supply of 1.784.852 tons, has sold at 3.48 cents in the New against 1.485,043 tons last year, or an

RAWS.—Spot quotations for the week remained the same as at the est figure for the year the forecast close of last week basis of 3.33c, per of 3.50 sugar gives promise of being pound. 96° test Centrifugals, at which realized unless the "invisible sup- no business was done, the only parplies" absorbs a large amount of cel of spot sugar being held by ownraws. Willett & Gray's comment on ers at 4.05c, per pound. The only sale ng of the death there of M. S. Grin-the raw sugar market under date of of the week was 1,500 tons Demarara saum, for many years identified with Dec. 1 follows:

Centrifugals for middle December

othing as to the cause of it. same uneven dates. The increase of At the close the tone and tendency. The cable was dated December 15 stock is 311,809 tons, against an in-(Continued on Page 7.)

NAMED WOMEN STRIKERS **CLASH WITH** TO COMMAND

(Associated Press Cable.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.-Brig.-Gen. Frederick Fuuston, picturesque hero of the Philippine war, was today assigned to command the Department of Luzon. The apbaum retired from active life, the pointment takes effect on January merchandise department of the com- 15. Funston was made a brigadier.

CONGRESSMAN FROM PENNSYLVANIA DEAD

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Dec. 15 Congressman Joel Cook of Philadelphia died today at his home here. He has been ill for some time, Congressman Cook was born in Philadelphia in 1842, and after a distinguished career as a newspaper man entered politics and was elected to the Sixtleth Congress on the Republican ticket.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.— Beets: 88 analysis, 9s. 0 1-2d.; parity, 3.89c. Previous quotation, 9s. 0 3-4d.

(Special Bulletin Cable.) CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—In a clash between the police reserves and the striking garment-workers here today, one man was killed and several wounded. Most of the garmentworkers are women and girls and they attacked the police with great

GERMAN STEAMER IS WRECK: 24 ARE LOST

(Associated Press Cable.)
LONDON, Dec. 15.—The German steamer Palermo has been wrecked on the coast of Spain and twentyfour lives lost.

SWITZERLAND NAMES A NEW PRESIDENT

(Associated Press Cable.)
BERNE Switzerland, Dec. 15.--Marcemile Hichet was today elected President of Switzerland.

It pays to be honest whether you advertise the fact or not.